

Tragic news: the hurricane "Kyrill" destroyed our 13cm antenna. Also there is some trouble with the dish for 23cm as well as at the dish for 3cm. The damage is not so heavy, both were turned by the wind so they don't look at the normal direction. If there are better weather conditions I think it should be quite simple to repair this. Opposite we have to take down the 1.5m dish for 13cm and then we have to decide what we can do.

This means that we are not QRV at the microwaves for the next time. Hereby you can see how we saw our antenna last Friday.



You can see that the solid 1,5m dish from WISI is simply bended!

As I am quite curious, I called to the local weather observatory and requested the maximum speed of the wind during this hurricane. Mr Gruner, the chief, reported me that they measured 168Km/hour in the peak!

Below I will show You some impressions downhill of the Ahornberg- mountain. There You can see what the storm has done. It's my opinion that it really looks like after the war!!



Looking forward to come back to the microwaves in spring!

73s

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